ARIZONA PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING BOARD MINUTES OF MEETING OCTOBER 15, 2008 PHOENIX, ARIZONA

A public meeting of the Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board was convened on October 15, 2008, at AZ POST, located at 2643 E. University Drive, Phoenix, AZ.

Members Present:

Detective Lee Ann Dobbertin

Mr. Joseph Duarte

Attorney General Terry Goddard

Chief Patricia Huntsman

Ms. Wendy Larsen

Deputy Director Dona Markely, representing Director Schriro

Chief Jerry Sheridan

Director Roger Vanderpool

Sheriff Chris Vasquez

Members Absent:

Sheriff Gary Butler, Chairman

Dr. Scott Decker

Chief Jack Harris

Detective Robert Thompson

Staff in Attendance:

Harry Atkins

Ted Brandon

Marie Dryer

Tom Hammarstrom

Lynn Howe

Steve Jacobs

Lyle Mann

Paul Orfe

Sandy Sierra

Maria Valtierra

Rick Watling

Assistant Attorneys General

Diana Stabler

A. CALL TO ORDER

Acting Chairman Sheridan called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

B. FINAL ACTION CASES:

Case #1 – Philip M. Cianciolo – AZ Department of Public Safety

Director Vanderpool and Detective Dobbertin recused themselves from this case. The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Sheriff Vasquez made a motion to adopt the Consent Agreement Order and Decision for voluntary relinquishment of peace officer certification, seconded by Ms. Larsen, motion carried unanimously. (This item was taken out of order after the arrival of Mr. Goddard).

Case #2 – Raymond L. Olsen – Surprise Police Department

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Director Vanderpool made a motion to adopt the Consent Agreement Order and Decision for voluntary relinquishment of peace officer certification, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

Case #3 – Roberto R. Barrera – Yavapai County Sheriff's Office

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Mr. Duarte made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and to delay peace officer eligibility for one year until successful participation in an alcohol awareness program similar to that imposed by a city court, seconded by Chief Huntsman, motion carried unanimously.

Case #4 - David B. Nash - Graham County Sheriff's Office

Attorney General Goddard arrived at this time.

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Chief Huntsman made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and revoke peace officer certification, seconded by Ms. Larsen, motion carried unanimously.

<u>Case #5 – Robert J. Lund – Tucson Police Department</u>

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Sheriff Vasquez made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and revoke peace officer certification, seconded by Ms. Larsen, motion carried unanimously.

Case #6 - Hobby W. Nelson - Glendale Police Department

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Ms. Larsen made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and revoke peace officer certification, seconded by Mr. Duarte, motion carried unanimously.

<u>Case #7 – Kurt L. Sipmann – Phoenix Police Department</u>

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Mr. Duarte made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and revoke peace officer certification, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

<u>Case #8 – Alexander J. Victorio – Phoenix Police Department</u>

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Director Vanderpool made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and deny peace officer certification, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

Case #9 – George D. Ybarra – Phoenix Police Department

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Director Vanderpool made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and revoke peace officer certification, seconded by Ms. Larsen, motion carried unanimously.

Case #10 - Octavio Garcia - Santa Cruz County Sheriff's Office

The Board considered comments from Assistant A. G. Diana Stabler. Chief Huntsman made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and revoke peace officer certification, seconded by Detective Dobbertin, motion carried unanimously.

NEW CHARGING CASES:

Case #1 – Brian A. Baker – Phoenix Police Department

Director Vanderpool made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

Case #2 – Brad S. Bishop – Phoenix Police Department

Director Vanderpool made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Chief Huntsman, motion carried unanimously.

<u>Case #3 – David J. Beauchamp – Phoenix Police Department</u>

Chief Huntsman made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Ms. Larsen, motion carried unanimously.

Case #4 – Konnie M. Bonini – Gilbert Police Department

Director Vanderpool made a motion to close with case with **No Action**, seconded by Attorney General Goddard, motion carried unanimously.

Case #5 - James N. Clark - Gilbert Police Department

Mr. Duarte made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

Case #6 – Joseph B. Collins – Coconino County Sheriff's Office

Chief Huntsman made a motion to close this case with **No Action with Agency Discretion**, seconded by Detective Dobbertin, motion carried unanimously.

Case #7 – Forrest W. Mueller – AZ Department of Public Safety

Director Vanderpool recused himself from this case. Chief Huntsman made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

Case #8 - Mary J. Mullinnix - Yavapai County Sheriff's Office

Chief Huntsman recused herself from this case. Director Vanderpool made a motion to close this case with **No Action with Agency Discretion**, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried with 1 nay vote.

Case #9 - Richard B. Rogers - Mesa Police Department

Chief Huntsman made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Mr. Duarte, motion carried unanimously.

Case #10 - Cecilia I. Sene - Pima County Attorney's Office

Chief Huntsman made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Director Vanderpool, motion carried unanimously.

Case #11 – Catherine D. Shelton – AZ Department of Agriculture

Chief Huntsman made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Detective Dobbertin, motion carried unanimously.

Case #12 - Frank A. Soto - Tucson Police Department

Sheriff Vasquez made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Ms. Larsen, motion carried unanimously.

Case #13 – Dwight F. Thayer Jr. – AZ Department of Public Safety

Director Vanderpool recused himself from this case. Chief Huntsman made a motion to **Initiate Proceedings**, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

<u>Case #14 – Roger Van Kuren Jr. – Phoenix Police Department</u>

Mr. Duarte made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Attorney General Goddard, motion carried unanimously.

Case #15 – William E. Welch – Phoenix Police Department

Director Vanderpool made a motion to *Initiate Proceedings*, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried with 3 nay votes.

<u>Case #16 – James A. Yesford – Bullhead City Police Department</u>

Chief Huntsman made a motion to **Research Further**, seconded by Sheriff Vasquez, motion carried unanimously.

E. ADJOURN

Acting Chairman Sheridan adjourned the meeting at 11:35 a.m.